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CLAIM OF: CAROLYN M. ELLERBE,

through her insurance carrier,

Nationwide Assurance

P. O. Box 1612

Alpharetta, Georgia 30022

04- 1185

For damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of vehicular damage due to a fallen tree on April 9, 2004 at South Deshon Road, Dekalb County.



THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS APPROVED

BY: JERRY L. DELOACH

DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY

## **ADVERSE REPORT**

PUBLIC SAFTEY &

LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

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CHAIR:

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RHONDA DAUPHIN JOHNSON, CMC MUNICIPAL CLERK

July 20, 2004

55 TRINITY AVENUE, S.W. SECOND FLOOR, EAST SUITE 2700 ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30303 (404) 330-6033 FAX (404) 658-6273

Nationwide Assurance Insurance Carrier Attn: Joo Im Kong P.O. Box 1612 Alpharetta, GA 30022

04-R-1185

RE: Carolyn M. Ellerbe

Dear Mr. Kong:

I sincerely regret that your client has been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in his/her claim for damages against the City of Atlanta. Your time and patience in this matter has been greatly appreciated.

However, I must notify you that the Atlanta City Council Adopted an Adverse Report on your client's claim at its regular meeting on July 06, 2004. In consultation with the City's Law Department, who conducted an investigation of the situation, the Council has determined that the City cannot accept responsibility for this matter and therefore cannot pay this claim.

If you desire any further information, please contact the City Attorney's Office/Claims Division at (404) 330-6400.

Yours very truly,

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC

Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

## **DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY**

Claim No. <u>04L0345</u>	Date:June 10, 2004
Claimant /VictimCAROLYN M. ELLERBE	
BY: (Ins. Co.) Nationwide Assurance	
Address: P. O. Box 1612. Alpharetta (	Georgia 30022
Subrogation: X Claim for Property damage \$ N	Not Stated Bodily Injury \$
Date of Notice: 05/24/04 Method: Wri	ritten proper X Improper
Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. 836-33-5	itten, proper X ImproperX  Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X
Date of Occurrence 04/09/04 Place: Sou	uth Deshon Road, Dekalb County
Department Bureau:	
Employee involved	Disciplinary Action:
fell on same. The investigation determined that the loc claimant's insurance carrier has been advised to pursue	surance carrier, alleges her vehicle was damaged when a tree cation of the incident is outside the Atlanta City-limits. The e the claim with Dekalb County.
INVESTIGATION:	
Statements: City employee Claimant	Others Oral
Pictures Diagrams Reports: Police	e X Dept Report Other
Traffic citations issued: City Driver	Claimant Driver
Citation disposition: City Driver	Claimant Driver
BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:  Function: Governmental	Ministerial
Improper Notice More than Six Months	MinisterialOtherDamages reasonableotedCompromise settlement
City not involved X Offer reject	ted Compromise settlement
Repair/replacement by Ins. Co.	Repair/replacement by City Forces
Claimant Negligent City Negligent_	JointClaim Abandoned
	Respectfully submitted,  NVESTIGATOR - DIANNE C. MITCHELL
RECOMMENDATION:	
	2701
	nt charged: 1A012J012H012P01
Claims Manager: Mulling Studies	Concur/dateConcur/date
Committee Action:	Council Action
FORM 23-61	

## Atlanta City Council

## Regular Session

CONSENT I PG(S) 1-9, EXCEPT:04-R-1187 04-R-1179 04-R-1143 03-O-1690 ADOPT

YEAS: 13
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 2
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 0

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	7-06-04 Council Meeting	
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